# SUCCESS OF STATE FAIR THIS YEAR.

A Great Exposition Proposed for the Coming Year.

## THE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 27 .- The State Fair this year has been a success.

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and Mr. W. C. Mackin, manager of the speed department, affairs in the judge's stand were conducted according to rule this week, and with that firmness and decision for which these two officials have established a reputa-

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There is strong talk and much sentiment now among the membership and friends of the North Carolina Agricultural Society in favor of making the 1901 State Fair a great exposition, which shall open for two weeks or a month, making it, in fact, one of the biggest events of the kind ever held in the South. The matter was enthusiastically discussed last night at the annual meeting of the Agricultural Society, held in Representative Hall of the State Capitol, and favorably recommended to the Executive Committee of the society.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS,

The following officers were elected by

e society: President—Gen. Wm. R. Cox,of Edgecounty.
following vice-presidents were

so elected: First District—Gen. M. P. Roberts. Second District-Dr. Wm. R. Cape-

Third District-Col. W. J. Green Fourth District-Mr. J. M. Crenshaw Fifth District-Mr. Banks Holt. Sixth District-Capt. S. B. Alexan

Seventh District-Major W. A. Gra Eighth District-Mr. S. L. Patterson Ninth District-Mr. George F. Wes-

On motion of Mr. N. B. Broughton a special committee, consisting of Col. B. Cameron and Hon. John Nichols, was appointed to notify General Cox of his election as president and insist that he accept the office.

A TAR HEEL SAILOR. A TAR HEEL SAILOR.

Naval Cadet Hollis T. Winston, son of President Winston, of the Agricultural and Mechanical College, is now at Santa Barbara, Cal., on board the United States battleship Iowa. He was on the new battleship Wisconsin, having been detailed to make test of her boilers during her recent trial trip. The trip lasted four hours and the Wisconsin averaged 17 2-10 knots per hour. This is the highest speed yet reached by any battleship in the American navy.

Winston, and Miss Annie Williams, dressed in white organdy, and Miss Marguerite Long, of Rockingham, and Miss Lillie Lanberth, dressed in pink organdy, came down the centre alsle. Next entered the groom with his best man, Mr. O. S. Poe, of Rock Hill, S. C., followed by the bride, dressed in white liberty satin trimmed with orange blossoms, carrying a large bouquet of illies of the valley, leaning on the arm of the maid of honor, Miss Mary Bynum, who was dressed in mousselaine de sole, and carried lovely pink carnations.

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Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party, with their many friends, repaired to the residence of the bride's parents, where an elegant supper was served and an opportunity given to view the beautiful collection of presents.

The bride was the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bynum, and is known throughout the State for her many sterling qualities and personal attractions.

The groom, of most noble character, is one of the most progressive citizens in the State.

### WILMINGTON.

NEW RAILROAD AGENT-NORTH CAROLINA REUNION. Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 27.—The au-

thorities of the Atlantic Coast Line issued a circular under date of yester-

years in the auditing department and for a year and a half has been chiefored to the general superintendent His efficiency is equaled by his cleverness, and as freight agent he will acceptably perform the dutles of the positions.

NORTH CAROLINA REUNION.

New York letter in the Baltimore un says;
"The North Carolina Society had a inner last night, after which Augusts Van Wyck was elected president, Dr. J. H. Parker, vice president, Linday Russell secretary and treasurer, tus Van Wyck was elected president, Dr. J. H. Parker, vice president, Lindsay Russell secretary and treasurer, and a board of governors was selected consisting of Peter Mallett, Kenneth Murchison, W. W. Fuller, George Gordon Battle, D. I. Hague, Joseph H. Strange, John Sprunt Hill, B. R. Smith and James W. Osborne. The society has about 500 members."

### NEW BERN.

INJURED - INVITATIONS - IN-VITED TO THE FAIR. New Bern, N. C., Oct. 27.—The Hazle-

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## ELON COLLEGE.

# PURE DEMOCRACY OF ANCIENT GREECE.

The Result of the People's Strenuous Struggle.

ITS GROWTH WAS SLOW.

(Raleigh News and Observer.)

When Solon visited Sardis and there beheld Croesus in all his giory, surrounded by his court of oriental splenures, absolute power, and every pleasure his royal heart could wish, it is day, appointing Mr. J. T. King freight agent, at Wilmington to succeed Mr. Walter Rutland, who has resigned that position. The appointment is to be effective November 1st.

Mr. King is a thorough railroad man, having hern raised with the heritage.

"as God has given the Greeks a modtunate and a happy man. "King of 'as God has given the Greeks a moderate proportion of other things. likewise he has flavored them with a democratic spirit, and a liberal kind of knowledge which has no taste for the

of knowledge which has no taste for the splendors of royalty."

This was the key-note to the Grecian theory of government, struck by the master's hand. Feeble and discordant at first, it grew in volume and melody until the whole land of Greece from shore to shore rang with the music of human liberty, and still it was wafted on over the seas and across the centuries, until to-day it awakens a responsive chord in the breast of every true patriot.

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The Grecian theory of government was intensely and essentially democratic, but their ideal was only reached by a process of evolution, they having gone through all the successive stages of monarchy, oligarchy, and aristocracy, with even a touch of anarchy, before they enjoyed the blessings of pure democracy.

known as Hotel Albert, but now entirely remodeled, will be opened about November 1st by Max L. Jacobs.

The friends of Mr. Freeman S. Ernul will be sorry to learn that he fell from an upper floor in his ginnery and dislocated his shoulder. The accident happened Wednesday.

The Wilmington Light Infantry has been invited to attend the New Bern Fair and compete for the \$50 prize for the best drilled and uniformed company of the State Guard. It is feared that the invitation cannot be accepted.

The members of the Board of Health met Thursday at a called meeting in regard to the fertilizer factory of E. H. & J. A. Meadows on East Front street. The action taken by the board was expressed in a series of resolutions in cfeet that the fertilizer works was a nuisance, that it was derimental to the public health, that the works should be removed outside the corporate limits

THE FOOTBALL GAME.

The football game played yesterday afternoon at the fair grounds by the Virginia Polytechnic and Agricultural and Mechanical College teams was a most interesting contest.

Though it was evident from the start the Tar Heels were no match for their Virginia opponents, still they fought the game out bravely, and to the very last contested with all their power and skill every foot of ground upon the gridiron. The game was throughout a snappy one.

The Virginia boys were not only heavier than the North Carolina players, but they were in better form and training. The result was that with rare exceptions the North Carolinians were each time steadily forced back toward their goal, each time ending in a touchdown for the Virginia.

The score was 18 to 2 in favor of Virginia.

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DIDN'T MAIL THEM.

John Burch, colored, was arrested last night at Durham for stealing a cheek. Two letters were handed him by J. do. Tatterson to mail. Instead of a cheek, and in trying to get it cashed was discovered.

NEVITED TO NEW YORK.

President Chas. D. McIver, of the State Normal and Industrial Collogs at Work of the Tacacher? College of Columbia University. He has accepted the invitation for the Hash accepted the invitation of the three were her.

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He also had a theory that those classes of citizen who enjoyed the greatest privileges and had the greatest amount of property to be protected in times of war and other dangers, should likewise bear a greater proportion of the burdens of taxation; so he nacted an income tax. Our congress enacted a similar tax, but our Supreme Court, by a majority of one, and that one had changed his onlinon, declared it unconstitutional. Still, a very respectable body of our citizens yet think the law was wise, just and constitutional. The principles which animated the breasts of these people and which Solon put into laws were fraternity, freedom and justice, protection of the weak against the strong, and recognition of the humblest citizen as a part of the State. Education of the people became a national duty and necessity, as it always is in a free country.

Thus were inaugurated those principles of democratic government which grew in strength and beauty under the leadership of Clistenees, and made possible the age of Pericles, when the human mind reached its highest development;—when were produced those monuments of genius in art and literature, which have ever been and ever great political activity in North Caro-

banner, secured the adoption of our reform measure by a majority of fifty thousand votes.

ALEX. J. FIELD.

BABY NELL'S TREE DAY.

A MAGNOLIA ACUMINATA, WHICH WILL BE 50 FEET HIGH WHEN SHE IS 20 YEARS OLD.

(Asheville Citizen.)

Before leaving Biltmore House for her long journey to the World's Fair at Paris, little Cornelia Stuyvesant Vanderbilt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Vanderbilt, planted a magnificent Iree of the species of magnolia acuminata, near the bass pond Thursday. The family and Dr. S. Westray Battle were the only witnesses of the occasion.

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our country.

Immense was the effort made to defeat him four years ago, but the change of a few thousand votes would have elected him, and would have prevented all the evils of McKinley's administration. And now another great effort is being made against him. The trusts and the rings die hard. They fight for life, but the people are against them. The people are rallying everywhere to the standard of Bryan, and Democracy never had a leader anywhere with such immense crowds to hear him as Bryan has had in Indiana, Illinols, Ohio and New York. These outpourings of the people bespeak their sympathy. They mean victory for William Jennings Bryan. But what shall be the voice of North Carolina? The Republican leaders have been devising means to give our electoral vote to McKinley. They think that our people are apathetic. They believe us over-confident. They count on a light vote. They expect that Bryan men will not go to the polls, and they hope to gain the victory through our negligence. And there is danger in this emergency, I appeal to every Bryan man to come to the rescue. A appeal to every citimot not not not make the political power. I appeal to the Democratic press, the most potential plendid work. I appeal to the committeemen, the party workers and the clubs. None of these have ever failed the party in the past. Last summer, they covered themselves with glory. To-day the party and the country call them once more to the post of duty, and commit to them the banner of Democracy, believing that they will again y. secure the victory. It is the call of at particulism and I know that this appeal will be obtained for Bryan and for our Democratic Congressmen and for the success of Democratic principles.

A full vote is indispensibly necessary. Every Bryan man must be gotten to the polls, and I now make my last appeal to the party, the State and his race.

F. M. SIMMONS.

Chairman Dem. Ex. Com.

P. M. PEARSALL, Secretary.

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Mrs. W. R. Shannonhouse, of Hertford, is at the bedside of her sick daughter, Mrs. W. O. Elliott, at her home on King street.

Messrs. Roscoe Turner and Carey Modlin, of Elizabeth City, were at the Bay View yesterday.

Miss Minnie Elliott returned to her home at Chappeil Hill yesterday.

Capt. Jacob Wool is improving, we hear, after being quite sick.

Mr. T. C. Badham is at home from a business trip on the road.

Court at Tyrell next week.

## NEW INDUSTRIES.

THE REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING LAST FRIDAY. Blowing Rock.-Residence.-J. W. prepare plans for erection of a \$6,000

residence at Blowing Rock for W. W. Stringfellow, of Anniston.
Charlotte—Timber Lands,—Dr. E. L. P. Ector, representing a Missouri syndicate, has optioned 45.000 acres of timber lands in Western North Carolina.
Conetoe—Woodworking Factory and Ginnery.—The Conetoe Manufacturing Co. has recently established a plant for the manufacture of lumber, barrels, crate packages, etc.; will also operate a ginnery.

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Elkin—Chair Factory.—E. I. Bailey and others have incorporated the Elkin Chair Co., with \$2,500 capital, and will build a factory.
Gastonia—Depot.—The Southern Railway Co., Frank S. Gannon, general manager. Washington, D. C., will build new depot at Gastonia to be equipped with electric lights, etc.; old depot will be improved for freight warehouse.
Goldsboro—Table Factory.—The Borden Manufacturing Company is erecting a table factory.

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High Point—Chair Factory.—The
Tomlinson Manufacturing Company, of
Archdale, reported recently to remove
to High Point and manufacture chairs,
has been incorporated by C. F. Tominson, S. H. Tomlinson and W. T.
Parker, with capital stock of \$20,000.

Littleton—Knitting Mill.—The knitting company lately reported organting company lately reported organ-

people of the State two of the best and largest fairs in the history of the popular institution, is very much pleased with the success of the pres-ent fair and its attendant prosperity. No man in the State is a more staunch and firm supporter of the State Fair than Colonel Cunningham, and its success is always.

securing the services of an up-to-date editor, and by the first week in November we hope to mail you initial copy of one of the best weeklies published in North Carolina. Mr. J. N. Converse comes to us well recommended, duly and truly equipped, and to him the Chamber of Commerce pledges its moral support and promise of such patronage as its members can afford and his efforts merit.

When the North Carolina Historical Society will have gotten into working harness we hope to help it with some Enfield and Hailfax county sketches. Governor Branch, of Enfield, as Secretary of the Navy in Jackson's Cabinet; Lafayette's visit to and speech in Enfield; partial war record of General F. M. Parker, and our present legislator, Hon. W. F. Farker and other facts.

### Furnishing the Orphanage. Raleigh, N. C. Oct. 27.-Anent the

preparations for the opening of the methodist orphanage in this city, it will be of interest to note that the Young Ladies' Guild of Caywell, furnish the teachers' room, and Mr. W. S. Springer, of Wilmington, will furnish both the dormitories, one in memory of his wife's stater, and the other in honor of his wife,

# FOOD PROPERTIES OF COTTON SEED.

sidence at Blowing Rock for W. W. Facts the Farmers Would do Well to Profit by.

SOMETHING ABOUT VALUES

A short time ago we published an arwhich we clip from the Charleston News and Courier, throws ome light on its value as compared with corn, and may be of interest to cotton growers and stock raisers:

ble you to calculate for yourself whether you can afford to feed corn to your cattle, and from the above figures it appears that you cannot afford to do so at all at any price per bushel that corn ever sells at in this section of the country, because its feeding value is so far below its money value when compared with the feeding value and money value of cotton seed and cotton seed meal.

"'Conclusion No. 1 also enables you to tell when you are getting a fair value for your cotton seed. For instance, if cotton seed meal is worth \$21 a ton, then cotton seed should bring \$21.2 cents per bushel at sixty bushels to the ton, for its feeding value are compared with the feeding value of meal.'

meal.'
"In the light of 'these important facts,' Mr. Chandless thinks it is astonishing that no experiments appear to have been made 'to see whether horses and mules will not eat cotton seed and cotton seed meal and hulls, one or both; and, if not vocuntarily, whether they could be trained to do so by mixing them gradually, by slowly increasing degrees, with corn and oats and hay.' He promises to have the matter tested at the Georgia Station."



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Printers' Ink. Court at Tyrell next week.

miration of mankind.

And so it was that some 600 years before St. Paul stood on Mars Hill and preached that beautiful altruism of Jesus Christ, that the same "Unknown God," to whom he there found an altar inscribed, had taught these people the universal brotherhood of man.

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The fat earth feed thy branchy root That under deeply strikes! The northern morning o'er thee shoot High up in silver spikes!

"Nor ever lightning char thy grain, But, rolling as in sleep, Low thunders bring the mellow rain That makes thee broad and deep,"

CONDITION OF THE FARMERS-HYMENEAL-POLITICAL.

Hertford, N. C., Oct. 27 .- The farmer. past years. The yield of cotton has over to the acre, which, considering the dry seasons, is something remark-able. No doubt this county has raised more cotton per acre this year than any of the counties in Eastern North Carolina, and with the lint cotton sell-ing at 9 to 10 cents a pound and the seed at 25 cents per bushel, there is no reason why our people should not

HYMENEAL. Cards are out announcing the coming nuptials of Mr. P. O. McMullan, formerly of Hertford, and Miss Flora Brackett, of Elizabeth City.

POLITICAL. Political.

Politics is very quiet in this county. The people don't talk much about what they will do or how they will vote, but when election day comes, the knowing ones tell us the county will go solid for Bryan, Small and Simmons for the Senate. So may it be.

BRIEF MENTION. Isaac Phillip & Bro. will occupy the vacant store owned by Mr. J. E.

The register of the Eagle Hote shows a large number of traveling men in town this week.

THE RAINBOW FESTIVAL—BRIEF.
PERSONAL MENTION.

Edenton, N. C., Oct. 27.—A very enRaleigh, N. C., Oct. 27.—From a finanjoyable and profitable affair was the Rainbow Festival given at the home great success. of Mr. C. E. Plummer, on Queen street,

EDENTON.